PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN (Safety)

FUNCTION OF POSITION

Work with other disciplines as part of the treatment team to provide an overall treatment program for the forensic inmate. Tasks include performing nursing procedures such as administering medications, treatments including oral medications, hypodermic injections, and administering urinary catheterizations, enemas, and taking and charting temperature, pulse, blood pressure, and respiration; observing forensic clients', patients', or inmates' physical condition and behavior and reporting significant changes to a unit supervisor or physician and recording nursing notes in the forensic clients', patients', or inmates' record; preparing and caring for forensic clients, patients, or inmates during treatment; giving first aid as needed; and participating as a member of the multidisciplinary team with the development of treatment plans and objectives from assessment of the forensic clients, patients, or inmates.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Possession of a valid license to practice as a Psychiatric Technician issued by the California Board of Vocational Nurse and Psychiatric Technician Examiners (CBVNPTE). (Applicants who are within four months of completing the Psychiatric Technician curriculum accredited by the CBVNPTE will be admitted to the examination but they must secure this license before they will be eligible for appointment.)

APPLICATION INFORMATION

The Department application consists of the three (3) documents listed below. Review and complete each document as required. Additional information may be submitted but is not required. Sign application and mail with other documents to: California Department of Corrections, P. O. Box 942883, Sacramento, CA 94283-0001, Attn: Personnel Examining Section. Should you have any questions please contact a Health Professions Recruiter at (888) 232-4584, by fax at (916) 227-4646 or by e-mail at Health.Recruit@corr.ca.gov.

- 1. Standard State Application (STD. 678)
- 2. Conditions of Employment 631
- 3. Recruitment Publicity Questionnaire

SALARY RANGES

Range A	\$2,617 - 3,148 per month
Range B	\$2,723 - 3,286 per month
Range C	\$2,832 - 3,440 per month

All correctional institutions **may** authorize a **"Hiring Above the Minimum"** (HAM) salary differential. Extraordinary qualifications, experience and current salary will determine the actual starting salary. The hiring authority reviews your credentials and evaluates your experience to determine if a **"Hiring Above the Minimum"** salary differential is applicable.

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BENEFITS

- Deferred Compensation Plans (Savings pool, 401k and 457 plan)
- \$100 monthly Bilingual Differential Pay
- 75% Reimbursement of Van Pool, \$65 maximum per month (\$100 primary driver)
- 75% Reimbursement of Public Transit Passes, \$65 maximum per month
- Flexible work hours (Management discretion)
- Pre-tax parking (Where applicable)
- Fourteen (14) paid holidays
- Generous paid vacation/sick leave or annual leave
- Jury duty/military/bereavement leave
- Health, Dental and Vision Care Plans (Rural Health Care Equity Program for areas without HMO's)
- Pre-retirement death benefit
- Dependent Care Program
- Long Term Insurance (CalPERS)
- Home Loan Program (CalPERS)
- Legal Services
- Employee Assistance Program
- Work and Family Advisory Committee
- \$300 monthly Recruitment and Retention Differential Pay with the exceptions of: (\$700 Pelican Bay State Prison) and (\$100 Avenal State Prison, Chuckawalla Valley State Prison, Ironwood State Prison, Calipatria State Prison and Centinela State Prison.)
- \$2,400 annually Recruitment and Retention Differential Pay (Limited to Avenal State Prison, Chuckawalla Valley State Prison, Ironwood State Prison, Calipatria State Prison and Centinela State Prison after 12 months of full-time employment)
- License or Certificate Renewal Fee Reimbursement (Actual Cost)
- Paid Continuing Education
- Education and Training Reimbursement (Required Training 100%/Other Training 50%)
- Educational Reimbursement Program (\$840 successfully completes probationary period and appointed within 12 months of receipt of initial PT license)
- California Public Employees' Safety Retirement System (Exempt from paying into Federal Social Security System)

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER